

SUMMARY OF DAY'S NEWS.

THE WEATHER.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:
Virginia—Partly cloudy Thursday, showers at night or Friday; light to fresh east to south winds.
North Carolina—Generally fair Thursday and Friday; light east to south winds.

Richmond people had a delightful day yesterday, cool, and the sun was partially obscured much of the time; a shower fell in the evening.

STATE OF THE THERMOMETER.

9 A. M.	74
12 M.	73
3 P. M.	77
6 P. M.	72
9 P. M.	74
12 midnight	74
Average	75.2

Highest temperature yesterday..... 78
Lowest temperature yesterday..... 68
Mean temperature yesterday..... 72
Normal temperature for September..... 78
Departure from normal temperature..... 6
Precipitation during past 24 hours..... 0.0

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sun rises..... 6:45	September 10, 1903.
Moon sets..... 8:28	HIGH TIDE..... 6:41
	Evening..... 7:00

RICHMOND.

Judge E. C. Minor dies after long and trying illness. Two Richmonders leave extensive coal lands in Kentucky.—Hon. J. C. Wyner may run for Congress.—President John Skellon Williams, of Birmingham, Ala., is completing Birmingham link—Corporation Commission leave on tour of inspection of the Southern Railway.—Committee on Bills' motion picture excursion appointed.—Governor Montague invited to Chicago.—Commissioner of Agriculture Kolner goes to Boston.—Investigation may not go on for night.—Gentleman saves himself from injury by jumping on fender of street car.—Ladies Sacred Heart Church give trolley party to-night.—Rev. R. M. Maxwell, of Atlanta, visiting city.—Union Theological Seminary opens with good attendance and bright prospects.—Henrico schools open on September 14th, seasonal examinations have been abolished.—Henrico candidates may not contest nominations of successful opponents.—Henrico schools meet to-night to be addressed by high officers.—Electric power plant on Johnson's Island will shut down to-day and new plant installed.—Well-to-do negro to open large department store.—Lynchburg ladies to aid in building Virginia house at the St. Louis Exposition.—Rules for disposing of franchises adopted by City Council.—Two-wheel motor made for cheaper gas.—Sympathy for Justice Crutcher.—Alleged counterfeiters arrested for selling old-time "shin" plasters.—Letter received from Rev. David Hepburn accepting call to Fulton, MANCHESTER.—Judge Clifton is re-elected City Attorney, defeating Mr. Hage by a large majority.—City Committee arranges to insure new residence of cemetery superintendent.—Will sell telephone franchise.—Interesting entertainment to be given to-night.

VIRGINIA.

Mr. Moseley will only run for the House in Danville district as a Democrat.—Rev. Dr. W. C. Taylor accepts the call to the First Baptist Church of Petersburg.—An eighteen-year-old girl, named Mary, of Petersburg, station house.—Registration in progress in many sections of the State.—State Female Normal School opens with fine attendance.—Strikes and lockouts near Port Old Dominion Steamship Company for violating rules.—Unique fender-pulling contest in Nansemond.—Fencing in honor of Dr. Joseph Charles.—Row in colored R. F. O. results in suit between deposed member and exalted ruler.—Barbecue, tournament and ball in Amelia.—Large number of weddings in the State.—Death of Mr. T. B. Slaughter in Northumberland county.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Mrs. John Gleason, of Davie county, killed by lightning.—Report of insurance Commissioner Young, for 1902, shows that the income of the State of North Carolina was twenty thousand dollars more than in 1901.—Weldon voters to vote on the question of saloon on Tuesday, October 20th.—A man, after knocking two others down is cut in nine places.—Davidson College with the largest matriculation in the history of the State.—Work begun on the extensive improvements on Cape Fear River.—Mrs. Baynes, wrongly accused of larceny, dies from a heart attack.—Mrs. Baynes, having killed Abraham Little—J. S. Clemmons, said to have discovered telegraph, heard from.

GENERAL.

Turkey may be forced into war with Bulgaria by the general irritation throughout the Ottoman empire.—Turkish embassy urges withdrawal of American cruisers, claiming they incite the people.—Ohio campaign opened by the Democrats with speeches by Johnson and others.—The issue defined by—Major Delmar lowers the trotting record of Crescens, making a new record for the New York State track.—A flying machine, built by a Michigan man, takes a wild plunge, killing a spectator; chauffeur escapes with injuries.—Hearing in the case involving the estate of Mrs. Mary Cook.—Senator Johnson promised in the arrest of a prominent man, not in the postal service, in connection with the postal frauds.—Mrs. Janie Stewart, of Chicago, woman accused of theft in North Carolina, dies from shock due to the humiliation.—New York rioters win the national cup and meet honors in the Great Shoot.—Clark Howell, Atlanta editor and National Democratic Committeeman, declares for Gorman for the Presidency.—Favorites win in the trot at Charter Oak Park and in the running at Harlem track.—Results of base-ball games in both the big leagues yesterday.—A German, who had declared superior to those of South Africa by British experts.—Aged Mexican jurist dead.—Miss Roosevelt to take a unique and thrilling trip in a submarine boat.—His Eminence makes a new track record at Sheepshead Bay, going a mile and an eighth in 1:32.4—Negro murderer rescued from a mob in Chicago, which threatened to lynch him, a rally of police saving him.

ALLEGED SMUGGLER

PUT ON THE RACK

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, September 9.—The examination of Joseph Wahman, a dealer in leaf tobacco, to-day, before United States Commissioner Ridgway, on a charge of buying smuggled tobacco, brought out the fact, if the confessions of two sailors arrested Monday, are to be believed, that there are a number of tobacco merchants in New York engaged in illicit traffic in tobacco.
Sunday night, two treasury officials followed two sailors of the Koenigsmann, giving the names of Thomas and Schenck, who they say delivered smuggled tobacco to Joseph Wahman. To-day when the two men were arraigned before the commissioner, they were charged with the possession and delivery of the tobacco to Wahman. The commissioner held Wahman for trial in \$5,000 bail, which was furnished.
Wahman denied the charge most emphatically and insisted he was a victim of circumstances. The sailors were

JUDGE E. C. MINOR
ANSWERS: "HERE!"



JUDGE EDMUND CHRISTIAN MINOR.

Distinguished Jurist, Veteran, Citizen Passes Away at Norwich, Conn., Where He Went for Health. Remains to Arrive To-Day.

A telegram received here late yesterday afternoon announced the death in Norwich, Conn., during the day of Hon. Edmund Christian Minor, Judge of the Law and Equity Court of this city.

While owing to the protracted illness of Judge Minor the sad intelligence was not altogether unexpected, yet this did not tend to lessen the gloom which it cast over the community, for Judge Minor was widely known and greatly beloved by all classes of citizens.

The distinguished jurist was stricken while at his post of duty last spring, and in the meantime has been a great sufferer, though he had considerably improved recently, and up to a few days ago his friends were hopeful of his ultimate recovery. As soon as Judge Minor was able to travel some months ago he went to Buffalo Lithia Springs, the famous old resort in Mecklenburg county, in search of health, and there his condition gradually grew better.

Several weeks ago under the advice of his physicians, Judge Minor returned here and went to Norwich in the hope that the fresh cool breezes of the east might still further improve him, but in this his friends were disappointed. Yesterday the end came peacefully. When Judge Minor passed through the city on his way to Norwich long ago he came down on Main Street, and was warmly greeted by his friends, who entertained the strongest hopes of his recovery. He was bright and cheery, though still suffering, and said he hoped to resume his duties on the bench later in the fall.

The remains of Judge Minor will arrive here this afternoon, and the funeral arrangements will be announced later on.

During Judge Minor's long illness, his place on the bench of the Law and Equity Court has been filled by Judge John H. Ingram, of the Corporation Court of the city of Manchester, who was designated by Governor Montague to serve, and while, of course, no more will be made looking to naming his successor until the burial of the dead jurist, it is likely that Judge Ingram's name will be presented for the place at the proper time. Mr. W. A. Monro, who came within a few votes of succeeding Judge Wellford on the circuit bench in 1902, and it is likely that the Bar Association will hold a meeting and recommend a candidate to Governor Montague.

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CLARK HOWELL
IS FOR GORMAN

Georgia Editor Favors the Marylander for Presidential Nominee.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ATLANTA, GA., September 9.—Clark Howell, Democratic national committeeman from Georgia and editor of the Atlanta Constitution, has come out for Gorman for President. To-day, speaking of the chances of the Marylander capturing the Democratic nomination, Mr. Howell said:
"Senator Gorman's staunch Democracy, his splendid capabilities, his knowledge of men and measures gained through long experience in public life, ought to make him satisfactory to all democrats in the party. As yet nobody knows whether the man from Maryland will be a candidate for the nomination in the sense of seeking it, but the present trend of Democratic thought is clearly in his direction."
"Senator Gorman can hold a seat in the Senate as long as he chooses, and in that body he will continue to be the leader of his party. If he were to consult only his personal comfort, he might prefer to remain where he is. But if he leads party manifest a desire that he should take the trip in this deep sea fighting machine and her desire will be gratified by Lieutenant-Commander Fletcher, the commanding officer of the torpedo station."
"Miss Roosevelt has expressed a desire to take the trip in this deep sea fighting machine and her desire will be gratified by Lieutenant-Commander Fletcher, the commanding officer of the torpedo station."
"The Moccasin will make a dive of twenty-five feet and then make a submerged run of ten miles along the bay with a torpedo boat flotilla acting as convoy. Just how long Miss Roosevelt will remain below the surface depends upon her own wish in the matter."

MARTIN'S
ATTITUDE
ON PRIMARY

Any Nominating Plan Will Be Acceptable.

THE SENATOR BOWS
TO THE PARTY'S WILL

Ex-Governor Tyler Will Run if a Primary Is Held.

JONES THE LOGICAL
PRIMARY NOMINEE

The First District Congressman's Original and Unrelenting Struggle for the Primary Plan—The Minority Nominations Now Possible.

Richmond's Advantage Over Washington.

Times-Dispatch Bureau, No. 1417 G Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., Sept. 9, 1903.

The attitude of Senator Martin towards the primary method of selecting candidates for the United States Senate is being discussed by politicians in Washington as well as in Virginia. There is doubt manifested in some quarters as to how Senator Martin regards the primary method. It is true that he has not recently expressed any opinion on the subject for publication, though many of his friends have openly declared their opposition to selecting candidates in this manner.

Still, it is hardly fair to say that Senator Martin has never expressed any opinion going to show his attitude towards the primary plan. In 1890, when the once celebrated, but now well nigh forgotten, May conference was about to be held in Virginia, I asked Senator Martin, in the course of conversation, to define his attitude towards the proposition to select a Democratic candidate for the Senate by means of a primary election.

"I can do so in very few words," he replied. "Any method which the Democrats of Virginia may select will be entirely satisfactory to me."

If Senator Martin be opposed now to such a method of choosing a candidate, it will be seen that he has changed his mind since he was chosen the last time. MINORITY NOMINATION POSSIBLE.

Mr. Willis B. Smith, a lawyer of Richmond, who is in Washington for a day or two, says the primary recently held in Henrico demonstrated that a man could be put in office who was not the choice of a majority of the voters, or rather that a man could get the nomination of the Democracy without a majority of the Democratic votes, a thing not possible in a convention. He cites an instance where a candidate received a plurality and was declared the nominee, though the two candidates opposing him received together more votes than he did. Everybody thinks there is going to be a fight over the primary plan in the State convention to be held next year to elect delegates to the Democratic National Convention.

MAJOR TYLER'S PLANS UNKNOWN.
A gentleman from Southwest Virginia said yesterday that it was not known by the closest friends of ex-Governor Tyler whether he would be a candidate for the Senate against Senator Martin. Governor Tyler has said in the most emphatic manner that he would run if the primary method of choosing a candidate is in operation in 1906. But he seems to

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ACCUSED OF THEFT;
DIED FROM SHOCK

Prominent Chicago Lady Succumbs Under Peculiar Circumstances.

(By Associated Press.)
LA PORTE, IND., September 9.—Mrs. Jane Stearns Boyson, of Chicago, died to-night at Asheville, N. C., as a result of nervous shock following accusations of theft. The news reached here in a telegram to friends.

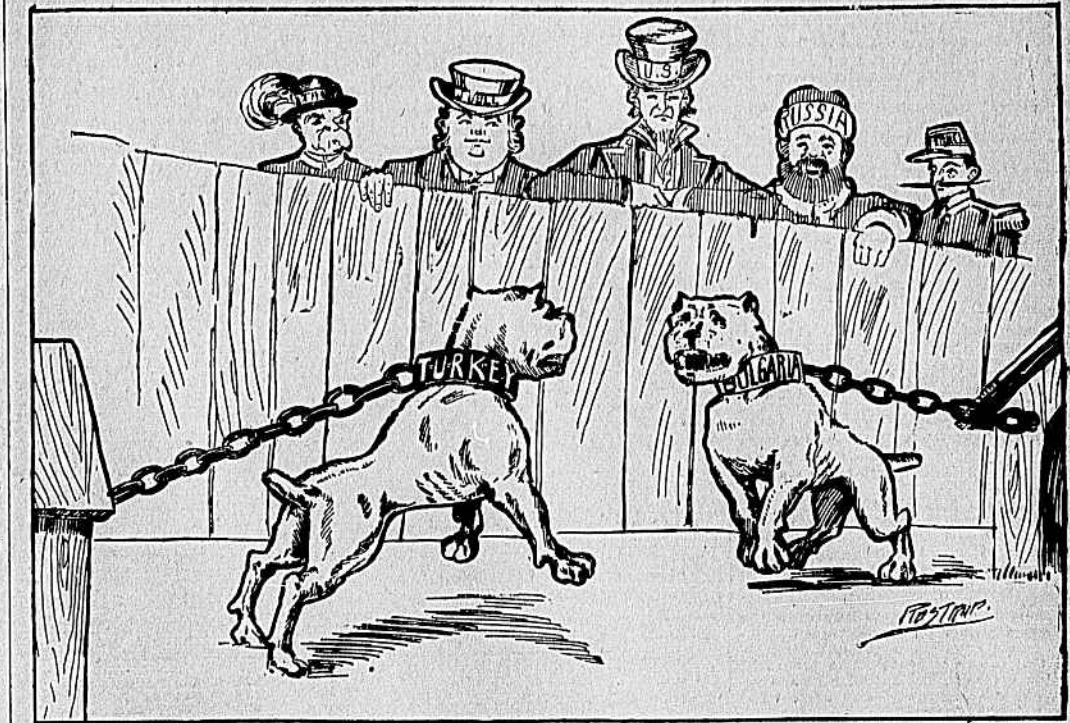
While Mrs. Boyson was at a hotel near Spartanburg, S. C., the room of a guest yesterday was robbed of \$500 worth of jewelry. The landlady accused Mrs. Boyson. She was not in good health and the charge resulted in her physical collapse. Before the end came she instituted a \$50,000 damage suit against her accuser in the Federal Court at Charleston.

Mrs. Boyson had done considerable newspaper work, and was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Chicago Women's Club, and other organizations.

TEXANS ATTACK
BIG CORPORATIONS

(By Associated Press.)
AUSTIN, TEX., September 9.—Attorney General Bell filed suit in the District Court to-day against the Wells Fargo Express Company and the Pacific Express Company, to cancel and annul their permits to do business in Texas, owing to alleged failure to maintain general offices in the State, as required by law.

MAY SWEEP SULTAN
INTO BULGARIAN WAR



HOW LONG WILL THE CHAINS LAST?

OHIO BATTLE
HAS BEGUN

ONLY TO RUN
AS DEMOCRAT

The Democratic Campaign Opened by Johnson.

INJUNCTION THE ISSUE

Johnson Protests Against This Government by Court Mandates and Arraigns Hanna as the Champion of Monopoly.

(By Associated Press.)
AKRON, OHIO, September 9.—The Democratic State campaign's opening meeting was held in this city to-night, addresses being delivered by Tom L. Johnson, candidate for Governor of Ohio; John H. Clarke, candidate for United States Senator, and Henry George, Jr., of New York. The attendance at the meeting was estimated at 3,000.

Mr. Johnson in his speech said in part: "The city of Cleveland furnishes an excellent illustration of the issues of the Democratic party in this campaign. Cleveland has become known as the most completely enjoined city in Ohio. Since I have been Mayor fifteen injunctions have been issued against the city in the interest of the owners of valuable special privileges, like the street railway and the gas and electric light companies, and after each injunction the Democratic pluralities have been larger than before."

A SHOT AT MR. HANNA.
"Senator Hanna, who is financially interested in some of these public service corporations, with the aid of Attorney-General Sheets, has been able to prevent the city from compelling the public service corporations to pay their just share of the taxes, and has so far blocked the establishment of a three-cent fare street railroad to compete with his five-cent fare monopoly."

"Senator Hanna is standing for vindication. He stands for vindication on that variety of municipal ownership which, through the ally subsidy, proposes to pay into the pockets of Mr. Hanna's friends from ten to fifteen million dollars annually in ship subsidies. He stands opposed to allowing the people of Cleveland to elect their own representatives to the city council, and the second the limiting of the capitalization of all corporations engaged in interstate commerce strictly to the value of the property invested."

Mr. Clarke favored granting immediate independence to the Philippines.

NEGRO BADLY HURT

Falls from Wagon and Is Pierced by Standard.

About 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a negro man was driving a wagon loaded with wood along the pike about six miles beyond Manchester, when he met with a painful, if not serious, accident.

The front wheel of the wagon struck some obstruction in the road and the man was thrown, falling across an upright standard of the wagon, which pierced his body some six inches. It was with some difficulty that the man was able to extricate himself from his painful position. When he did succeed in so doing he came to Manchester for medical treatment. The man's name was Ben Brown, and he lives in Chesterfield county.

DASH OF AUTO
AT TERRIFIC SPEED

Tire Bursts While Running a Mile a Minute, Killing a Spectator.

(By Associated Press.)
DETROIT, MICH., September 9.—While Barney Oldfield's racing automobile was running nearly sixty miles an hour at the Grosse Point track this afternoon in the ten-mile open event, one of the front tires on the machine burned through and exploded, throwing the car into the fence and injuring Frank Shearer, a spectator, so terribly that he died in an ambulance on route to the hospital. The car went fifty feet through the air, and Oldfield, who kept his seat, had a marvelous escape from death. He received several cuts about the body and had one rib broken.

Oldfield had just time to twist his brake and hand for a spot between two trees. Shearer was standing against the fence at this point and the car struck him squarely, breaking both legs in several places and fracturing his skull. He was thrown seventy-five feet and never recovered consciousness. Oldfield has presence of mind enough to throw himself backward on the flat deck of the car, which went crashing through a low tree and was completely wrecked. Shearer's brother was standing near him and had a narrow escape.

Seriousness of Turkish Situation Emphasized

WAR WITH BULGARIA
NOW NOT UNLIKELY

The General Irritation in Turkey May Force It.

MASSACRE STORIES
ARE EXAGGERATED

So Says the Turkish Embassy—Hopes Expressed that American Warships Will Leave, as Their Presence Tends to Incite the People.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, September 9.—Except that the consuls in Salonica are again asking for the protection of warships, there is little direct news this morning from the seat of the Macedonian troubles, but there is a plentiful crop of sensational statements, impossible to either deny or confirm. Among the latter is an assertion made in a Sofia dispatch to the Secolo, of Milan, to the effect that it has been decided to mobilize the Bulgarian army. This is contrary to the avowed policy of the Bulgarian government, but cannot be regarded as unlikely, with Turkish troops concentrated at Goektepe, five miles from the Bulgarian frontier.

According to a Sofia dispatch to the Daily Express, the British agent there has already notified Bulgaria that Great Britain insists that she prevent the passage of the bands into Macedonia.

Little credence is attached to a story published in the Vienna Die Zeit, that Turkish troops have been ordered to cross the Bulgarian frontier.

Count Goluchowski, the Austrian Chancellor, had a long conference with Emperor Francis Joseph at Buda Pest yesterday, and common diplomatic action by the Powers against Bulgaria is again said to be in preparation.

SITUATION SERIOUS
ON BULGARIAN LINE

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, September 9.—The official press reports from the Near East today emphasize the seriousness of the situation there and confirm the belief of the authorities that, owing to the general irritation throughout European and Asiatic Turkey toward the Christians as a result of the Macedonian revolt, the Sultan may be swept by the uncontrollable sentiments of his Ottoman subjects into a war with Bulgaria, despite the unwillingness of the Porte to participate in such a conflict.

At the Russian-Austrian proposal for coercive diplomatic action on the part of the powers at Sofia, they are confident it will be acceded to by France, but whether it is adopted or not the Sultan's hand has already been greatly strengthened, as he is in a better position to act than hitherto.

There is no question in official circles here that the Porte will take energetic measures to suppress any trouble at Beirut. The announcement is made of the arrival at Beirut of Nazim Pasha. The Pasha of Syria, who is expected by the Turkish officials to promptly restore order. That the task is difficult is shown by the fact that there have been further riots at Beirut. France may order warships to that point to protect her interests, but Germany has asserted that she will not do so.

Great Britain, whose missionary interests in Syria are practically nil, has not as yet sent any vessels to Beirut, relying upon the American warships to protect the consulates.

MASSACRE STORIES EXAGGERATED.
The Turkish embassy issued another statement to-day, declaring that the reports of massacres emanate from the